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TAGS: TBIO BR
SUBJECT: LAETRILE (AMYGDALIN)

REF: STATE 049069

CANCER DIVISION OF MINISTRY OF HEALTH FINALLY RESPONDED
TO EMBASSY'S QUESTION OF LAST MARCH ON SUBJECT STATING
THAT LAETRILE IS NOT MARKETING IN BRAZIL AS CANCER CURE
("FORTUNATELY, SINCE MANY OTHER PSEUDO-CURES ARE USED HERE")
AND THUS THERE IS NO MEDICAL DATA AVAILABLE. TO HEALTH
MINISTRY'S KNOWLEDGE, LAETRILE IS NOT USED FOR ANY OTHER
PURPOSE IN BRAZIL. (FYI. GOB RESEARCH ON POSSIBLY
USEFUL PLANT EXTRACTS INCLUDES WORK WITH "TROPICAL APRICOT"
CALLED MAMMEE APPLE OR ABRICO BUT NOT TRUE APRICOT OR
DAMASCO).
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